

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1 (currently amended): A method for editing documents on a computer system, comprising the steps of:

~~inserting~~placing an insertion point icon at a first position in an electronic document;  
receiving one or more user inputs indicating movement from said first position to a second position;  
responsive to said one or more user inputs, displaying an origin icon at said first position, and displaying a moving icon at said second position;  
displaying a connection line between said origin icon and a point on a margin of said electronic document at a position different from said second position; and  
moving one or more portions of said electronic document responsive to said one or more user inputs.

Claim 2 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein said insertion point icon includes one or more directional indicators.

Claim 3 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein said origin icon and said moving icon include one or more directional indicators.

Claim 4 (original): The method of claim 1, wherein said one or more of said user inputs is generated using a stylus.

Claim 5 (original): The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of displaying a connection line between said origin icon and said moving icon as said moving icon moves.

Claim 6 (canceled)

Claim 7 (original): The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of moving said moving icon responsive to said one or more user inputs, and keeping said origin icon stationary while said moving icon moves.

Claim 8 (currently amended): The method of claim 7, wherein said step of moving said one or more portions of said electronic document further comprises the step of inserting or deleting space between said first position and said second position.

Claim 9 (original): The method of claim 8, wherein said electronic document is a text document having a directional flow, and said moved portion of said electronic document is located downstream, in said directional flow, from said first position prior to said step of moving said one or more portions of said electronic document.

Claim 10 (currently amended): The method of claim 8, wherein said step of moving said moving icon further comprises the step of terminating movement of said moving icon when said one or more user inputs attempt to move said moving icon ~~indicates movement~~ beyond an end of said electronic document.

Claims 11-13 (canceled)

Claim 14 (original): A computer-readable medium having computer-executable instructions for carrying out the steps recited in claim 1.

Claims 15-26 (canceled)

Claim 27 (new): A method for editing documents on a computer system, comprising the steps of:  
    placing an insertion point icon at a first position in an electronic document;  
    receiving a stylus input indicating movement from the first position to a second position responsive to a stylus contacting a digitizer;

responsive to the stylus input, displaying an origin icon at the first position, and displaying a moving icon at the second position; and

moving one or more portions of said electronic document responsive to the stylus breaking contact with the digitizer.

Claim 28 (new): A method for editing documents on a computer system, comprising the steps of:

placing an insertion point icon at a first position in an electronic document;

detecting a stylus proximate to the insertion point icon;

responsive to said detecting, providing feedback indicating that the insertion point icon is selectable;

receiving a first stylus input selecting the insertion point icon;

receiving a second stylus input indicating movement from the first position to a second position;

responsive to the second stylus input, displaying an origin icon at the first position, and displaying a moving icon at the second position; and

moving one or more portions of said electronic document responsive to the second stylus input.

Claim 29 (new): The method of claim 28, wherein providing feedback includes altering the appearance of the insertion point icon.

Claim 30 (new): The method of claim 28, further including the step of morphing the insertion point icon into the origin icon and the moving icon responsive to receiving the first stylus input.

Claim 31 (new): The method of claim 29, wherein the step of morphing further includes providing a bungee line that connects the origin icon and the moving icon.

Claim 32 (new): The method of claim 28, wherein the stylus input is capable of indicating movement in any direction in an x-y plane from the insertion point icon.

Claim 33 (new): The method of claim 28, wherein the stylus input is capable of indicating movement in at least five separate directions.

Claim 34 (new): A computer-readable medium having computer-executable instructions for carrying out the steps recited in claim 28.

Claim 35 (new): The method of claim 28 wherein prior to the step of moving, the method further including the steps of:

- prompting a user as to whether space should be inserted between the origin icon and moving icon or deleted between the origin icon and moving icon; and

- receiving a user input indicating that either space should be inserted between the origin icon and moving icon or space should be deleted between the origin icon and moving icon.

Claim 36 (new): The method of claim 35, where if space is to be deleted between the origin icon and the moving icon, the space includes content.

Claim 37 (new): A document editing method on a computer system, comprising the steps of:

- receiving user input identification of a first location on a first line in an electronic document;

- receiving user input identification of a second location in the middle of a second line in the electronic document, the second line being different from the first line; and

- inserting or deleting space in the electronic document from the first location to the second location.

Claim 38 (new): The method of claim 37, where if space is to be deleted, the space including content.

Claim 39 (new): A computer-readable medium having computer-executable instructions for carrying out the steps recited in claim 37.

Claim 40 (new): A method for editing documents on a computer system, comprising the steps of:

- placing an insertion point icon at a first position in an electronic document;
- receiving one or more user inputs indicating movement from said first position to a second position;
- responsive to said one or more user inputs, displaying an origin icon at said first position, displaying a moving icon at the second position within a margin, and displaying a margin dynamic connector connecting the origin icon to a point on the margin corresponding to a text line associated with the second position; and
- moving one or more portions of said electronic document responsive to said one or more user inputs.

Claim 41 (new): The method of claim 40, further including displaying a bungee line connecting the origin icon and the moving icon.

Claim 42 (new): A method for editing documents on a computer system, comprising the steps of:

- placing an insertion point icon at a first position on a first line in an electronic document;
- receiving a stylus input indicating movement from the first position to a second position located within a middle of a second line different from the first line; and
- moving one or more portions of said electronic document from the first position to the second position.

Claim 43 (new) The method of claim 42, wherein prior to the step of moving, the method further including the steps of:

- prompting a user as to whether space should be inserted or deleted from the first position to the second position; and
- receiving a user input indicating that either space should be inserted or deleted from the first position to the second position.

Claim 44 (new): The method of claim 42 further comprising, responsive to the stylus input, displaying an origin icon at the first position and displaying a moving icon at the second position.

Claim 45 (new): A computer-readable medium having computer-executable instructions for carrying out the steps recited in claim 42.